

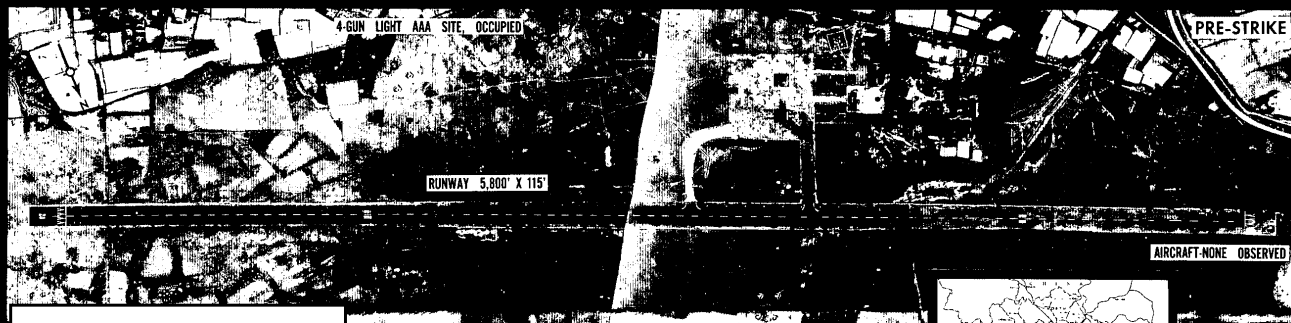
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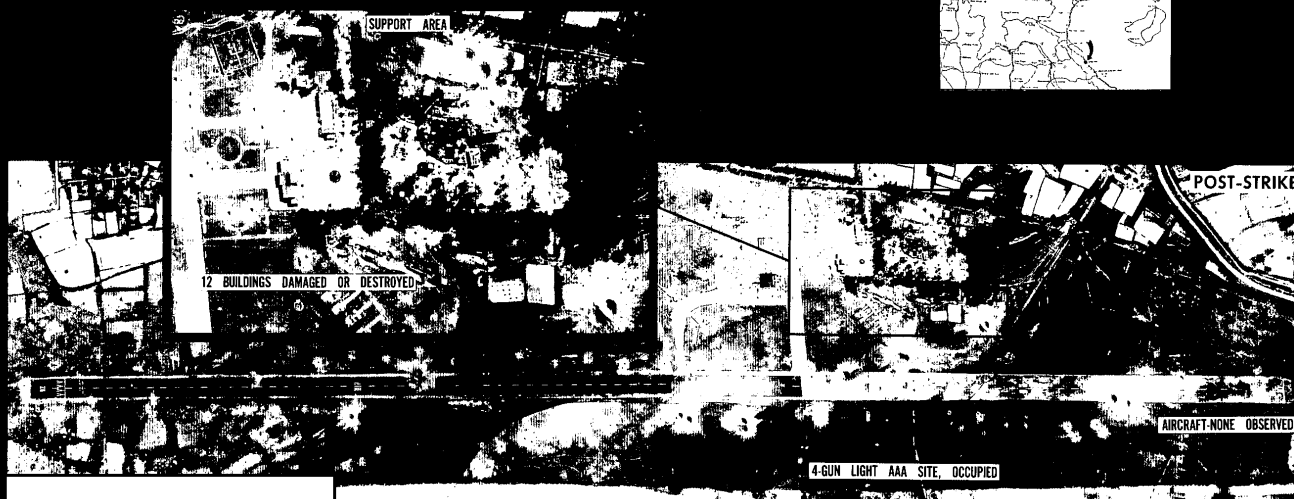
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1. PRE-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHY OF 'LUCKY DRAGON' [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] REVEALS DONG HOI AIRFIELD LOCATED 3.1 NM NORTH-NORTHWEST OF DONG HOI. AIRFIELD HAS ONE SERVICEABLE 5800 X 115 FT, WNW/ESE, ASPHALT AND PIERCED STEEL PLANK RUNWAY. FACILITIES INCLUDE A WEATHER STATION, AN OPERATIONS BUILDING, EIGHT SUPPORT BUILDINGS, AND A PARKING APRON. ONE OCCUPIED FOUR-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE IS LOCATED SOUTH OF THE RUNWAY. NO AIRCRAFT ARE OBSERVED.

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2. POST-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHY OF [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] REVEALS FIVE BOMB CRATERS AND NUMEROUS ROCKET CRATERS ON THE RUNWAY, RENDERING IT UNSERVICEABLE. NUMEROUS BOMB AND ROCKET CRATERS ARE OBSERVED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE RUNWAY AND ON THE RUNWAY EXTENSIONS. DAMAGE TO THE FACILITIES IS AS FOLLOWS:

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<u>FACILITY</u>	<u>DAMAGE ASSESSMENT</u>
WEATHER STATION	UNDAMAGED
1 OPERATIONS BUILDING	DAMAGED
12 SUPPORT BUILDINGS	3 DESTROYED 2 HEAVILY DAMAGED 6 DAMAGED 1 UNDAMAGED
PARKING APRON	UNDAMAGED

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ONE OCCUPIED FOUR-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE IS LOCATED NORTH OF THE RUNWAY. THE PREVIOUSLY OCCUPIED AAA SITE SOUTH OF THE RUNWAY IS NOW UNOCCUPIED (NOT SHOWN ON GRAPHIC). NO AIRCRAFT ARE OBSERVED.

3. STRIKE DATA REPORTS DONG HOI AIRFIELD WAS STRUCK ON 30 MARCH 1965 BY TWENTY-FOUR VNAF AIRCRAFT SUPPORTED BY FOURTEEN USAF AIRCRAFT. ORDNANCE EXPENDED ON TARGET CONSISTED OF 288 250-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS, 40 500-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS, 16 750-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS, 8 100-POUND WHITE PHOSPHORUS BOMBS, AND 437 2.75-INCH ROCKETS.

4. AREA HAS BEEN PREVIOUSLY COVERED BY COLD TALE, LAZY DAISY, LUCKY DRAGON, AND TROJAN HORSE PHOTOGRAPHY.

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